

***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicant: Bruno BERGE  
Title: DROP CENTERING DEVICE  
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Examiner: Darryl J. Collins  
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**STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

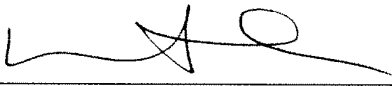
In accordance to 37 C.F.R. § 1.133, submitted herewith is a record of the substance of the interview on February 26, 2008, between Examiner Darryl J. Collins and Applicant's representatives, Rouget F. Henschel and George E. Quillin, regarding the above-captioned application. During the interview it was agreed to cancel claims 34, 37, 40, 43, 46 and 48, associated with the potential interference to advance prosecution, thereby complying with the Office Actions mailed December 22, 2006 and September 4, 2007.

This statement is being submitted within one (1) month of the interview date of February 26, 2008, and is therefore timely.

Respectfully submitted,

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